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MONTHLY HIGHLIGHTS*

July, 1984

NATIONAL

The "Flash" estimate of Gross National Product for the first quarter of 1984 has been revised upward to 9.7% from 8.8%. Likewise the estimate for the second quarter has been revised to 5.7% from 3.3%. This indicates a slowing of the pace of national economic growth. These rates, in combination with higher interest rates and some recent over-target M1 readings, may signal renewed inflation, however.

Consumer prices increased 0.3% between April and May. One reason for this sustained moderation is lower wage rate inflation; that is, the rate at which wages increased is lower than in previous periods. Further, it appears wage increases in the first half of this year may come in as much as a full percent below the CPI inflation rate. The continued strength of the dollar has also assuaged inflation's appetite.

The prime rate has continued its ascent to 12.60% in June from 12.39% in May, and the discount rate held steady at 9.00% in both months. With percentage increases in personal consumption running roughly twice those in personal income, credit demand is still high. Considering the associated savings rate of 5.2% of disposable income reported in May, the stage may be set for yet higher interest rates for late 1984 and early 1985.

Retail sales were up again in June, growing 0.8%; unadjusted sales increases of 0.5% and a whopping 3.5% were reported for May and April, respectively.

Producer prices, like consumer prices, have remained stable for the third consecutive month, with no change reported in June. Industrial production edged up 0.5% in June, after a 0.4% rise in May. The proportions of these increases are quite favorable in that they signal to markets that the recovery is not expanding at too large and quick a rate.

STATE

Cash receipts from farm marketings may have finally recovered from the onslaught of problems associated with draught last year, with a March figure 12.5% above last year. Since so many animals were slaughtered last year, these receipts are still declining while livestock numbers are replenished.

*No June, 1984 issue was produced.

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Our labor force surged by 41,000 in June. The number of employed, which increased 84,000, and the number unemployed, which decreased 43,000, each represented a 1984 monthly high and low, respectively.

Non-agricultural employment strength is continuing, with the May total up 2.2% from January. The strongest sectors for increased numbers of employed included construction (25,000), manufacturing (18,000), wholesale and retail trade (11,000), and services (11,000). No sectors exhibited a statewide net decline in the first five months of 1984. No Illinois SMSA has exhibited a decline in total non-agricultural employment between May of 1983 and 1984; all but the Kankakee SMSA tallied increases.

The seasonally adjusted unemployment rate in Illinois for June was 8.2%, a 0.9% decline from May and a 1984 monthly low. This compares with a 7.1% U.S. rate. The May preliminary, unadjusted unemployment rates for urban centers are down across the board, with the lowest rates in two years or more.

Indexes of help-wanted advertising in Chicago and St. Louis are still fluctuating, but Chicago is outpacing St. Louis by 90 to 54 in March (1967=100), compared with the national index reading of 124. This index is significant because an increase usually indicates a future increase in employment, leading by an average five or six months.

Consumer prices have remained stable, with the May Chicago all urban index rising only 0.1% and the Chicago wage earners index unchanged from April. The associated annual percentage changes were 3.6% and 0.5%, respectively, and were below their national counterparts with respect to both the indices themselves and annual and monthly rates of increase.

Purchasing managers in Chicago reported the business continues to be strong, with the May reading of 67 again significantly higher than the national figure of 59. This is the fifth consecutive month that Chicago has lead the U.S. An index reading of 50 or above is associated with economic expansion.

The available balance in state GRF at the end of July was \$217 million, exceeding the \$200 million reserve balance established as desirable for the seventh consecutive month in 1984.

Both state employment and payrolls for May declined from April. These numbers are expected to increase in the coming months with the usual influx of seasonal and student employees.

Gross State Product for the third and fourth quarters of 1983 are in with the highest quarterly increases since 1981. Negative quarterly changes were reported throughout 1982 and the first quarter of 1983. These latest GSP increases are comparable to but in excess of the GNP flash estimates reported above.



ILLINOIS MONTHLY ECONOMIC DATA SHEETS

JULY 1984

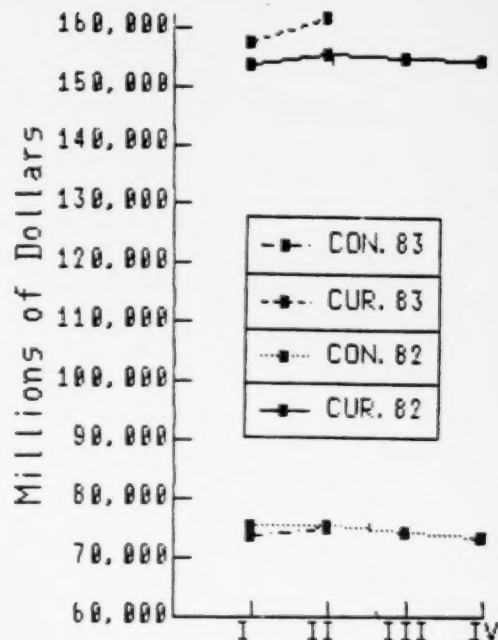
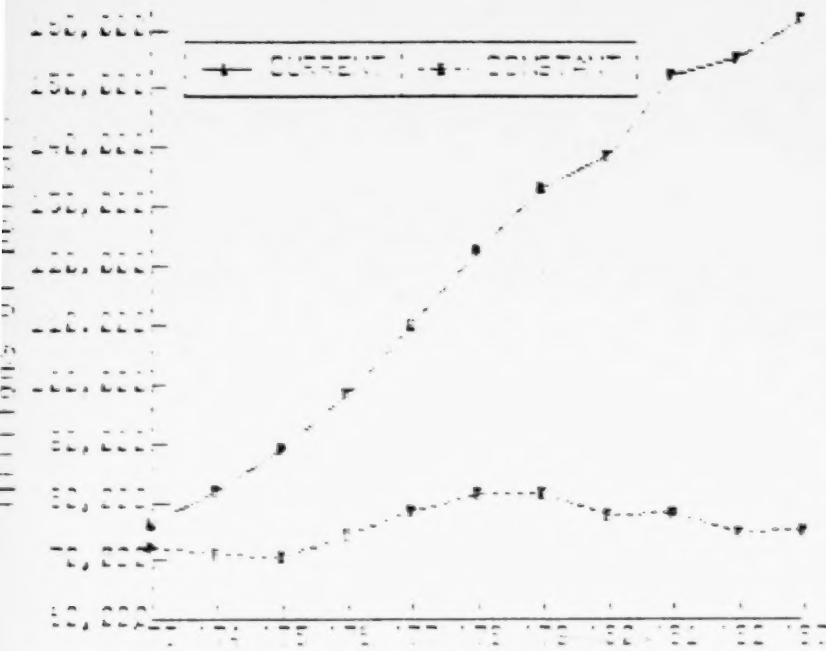
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ILLINOIS GROSS STATE PRODUCT



ANNUAL (millions)					QUARTER* (millions)				
Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant \$ Percent Change		Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant \$ % Change at Annual Rate	
			ILL.	U.S.				ILL.	U.S.
1970	59,975	65,647	-1.9	-0.2					
1971	63,278	65,901	0.4	3.4	1982				
1972	67,983	67,983	3.2	5.7	I	153,932	75,694	-8.2	-5.5
1973	76,294	72,111	6.1	5.8	II	155,952	75,650	-0.2	1.0
1974	81,929	71,193	-2.1	-0.6	III	154,929	74,474	-6.1	-1.0
1975	89,039	70,784	-0.8	-1.2	IV	154,427	73,537	-4.9	-1.3
1976	98,244	74,236	4.9	5.4	1983 ^r				
1977	109,876	78,455	5.7	5.5	I	155,565	73,094	-2.4	2.6
1978	122,730	81,591	4.0	5.0	II	159,143	74,175	6.0	9.7
1979	132,893	81,319	-0.3	2.8	III	164,665	76,079	10.7	7.6
1980	138,463	77,510	-4.2	-0.3	IV	168,924	77,300	6.6	5.0
1981	152,141	77,963	0.6	2.6					
1982	155,007	74,926	-3.9	-1.9	1984				
1983	162,084	75,168	0.3	3.4	I				9.7
1984 ^r				6.4, 6.0**					
1985 ^r				2.0, 2.2**					

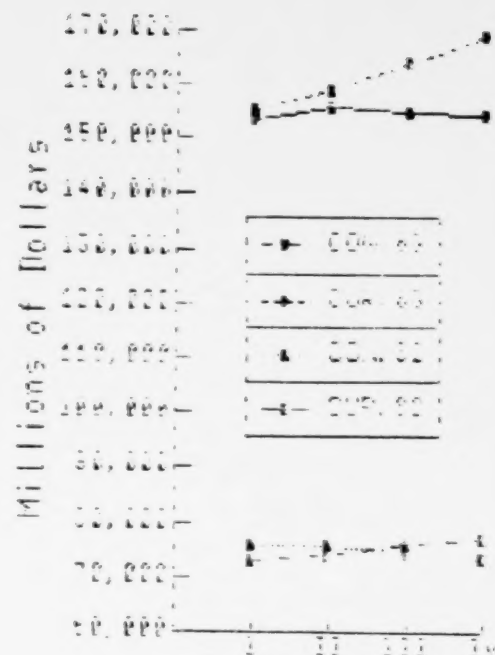
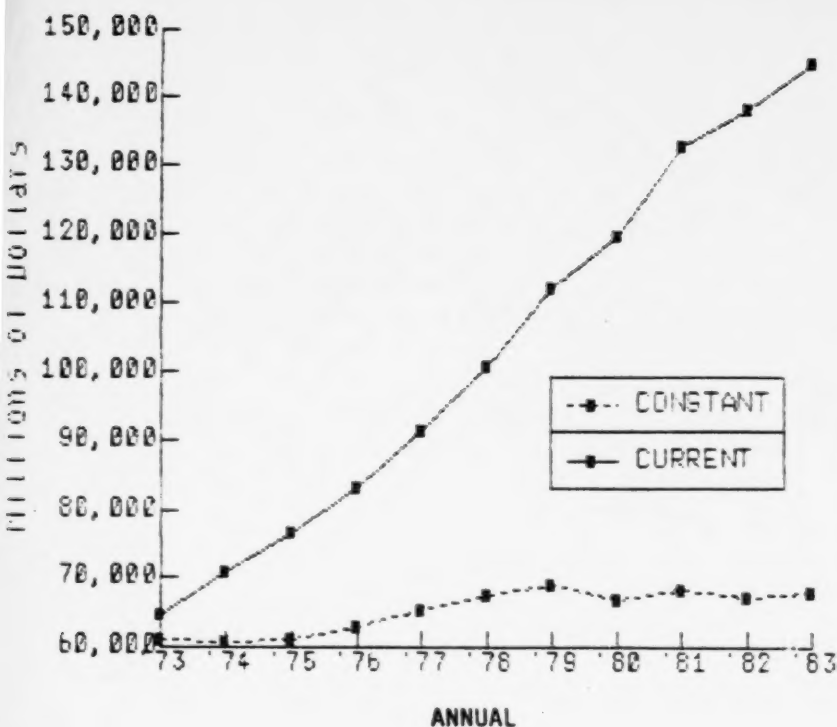
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*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast (JUNE), Data Resources Forecast (JUNE).

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.

ILLINOIS TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME



Year	Amount (millions)		Percentage Change				Current \$ Per Capita Personal Income		QUARTER		
	Cur- rent	Con- stant**	Current		Constant		ILL.	U.S.	Amount (millions)	% Change at Annual Rates	
			ILL.	U.S.	ILL.	U.S.				ILL.	U.S.
									1982 CURRENT		
									I \$136,150	-2.1	2.0
									II 138,469	7.0	5.8
									III 138,900	1.3	4.5
									IV 140,320	4.2	6.4
									1982 CONSTANT		
									I 67,501	-7.5	-3.1
									II 68,010	3.1	1.9
									III 67,134	-5.3	-2.0
									IV 67,139	0.0	2.2
									1983 CURRENT		
									I \$140,630	0.9	3.4
									II 143,159	7.4	8.7
									III 146,943	11.0	7.5
									IV 149,354	6.7	10.8
									1983 CONSTANT		
									I 66,935	-1.2	1.3
									II 67,369	2.6	3.9
									III 68,441	6.5	3.2
									IV 69,113	4.0	8.0

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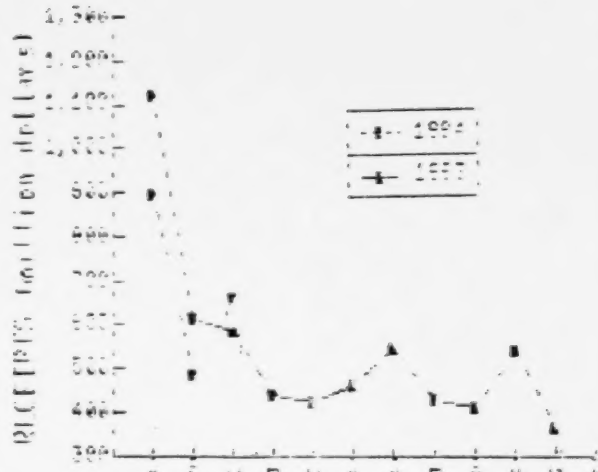
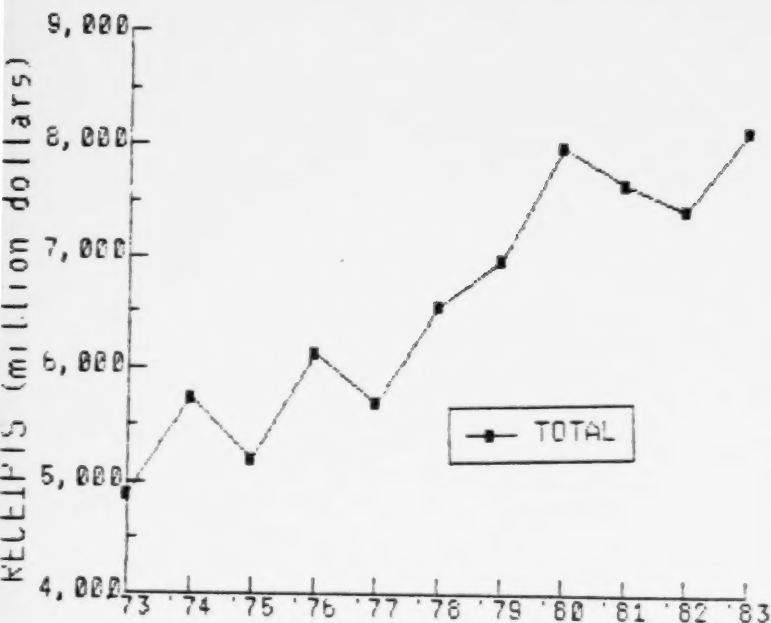
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**Personal Consumption Expenditures deflator for U.S. (1972=100).

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SOURCE: Survey of Current Business, U.S. Department of Commerce.

ILLINOIS CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS

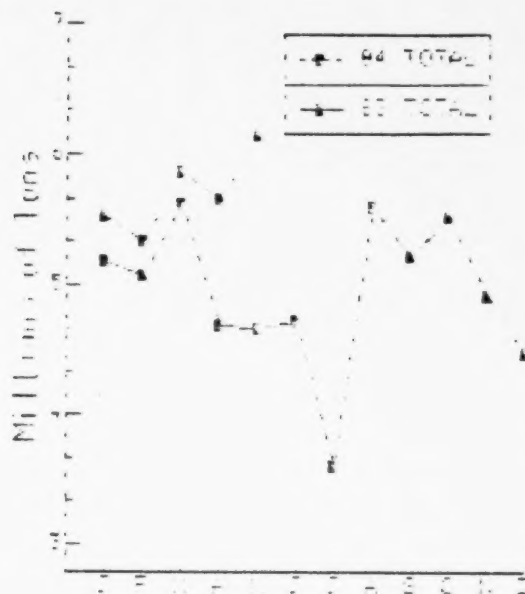
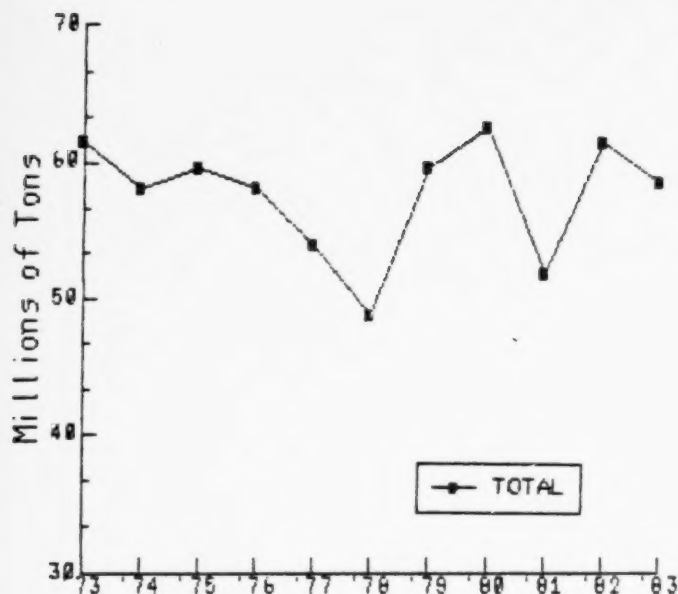


ANNUAL (millions)						MONTH (millions)				Total % Change from 1 Year Ago	
Year	Livestock	Crops	Total	Percent Change ILL.	U.S.	1984 Month	Live- stock	Crops	Total	ILL.	U.S.
1970	1,314	1,496	2,810	1.2	4.9	Jan	\$203	\$693	\$896	-19.9	-17.1
1971	1,188	1,548	2,736	-2.6	4.8	Feb	169	314	483	-21.1	-10.2
1972	1,488	1,832	3,319	21.3	15.7	Mar	182	477	659	12.5	1.5
1973	1,923	2,959	4,882	47.1	42.3	Apr					
1974	1,799	3,933	5,731	17.4	6.1	May					
1975	1,873	3,320	5,193	-9.4	-4.6	Jun					
1976	1,847	4,290	6,134	18.1	7.4	July					
1977	1,874	3,823	5,697	-7.1	0.8	Aug					
1978	2,127	4,430	6,556	15.1	16.9	Sept					
1979	2,383	4,584	6,967	6.3	17.1	Oct					
1980	2,321	5,650	7,971	14.4	5.9	Nov					
1981	2,225	5,420	7,645	-4.1	2.6	Dec					
1982	2,373	5,062	7,434	-2.8	-0.1	CUMULATIVE THRU LATEST MONTH SHOWN ABOVE					
1983	2,340	5,780	8,120	9.2	-3.2						
1984*					3.5						
										-12.0	-9.7

*Forecast by U.S. Department of Agriculture.

SOURCE: Agricultural Outlook, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

ILLINOIS BITUMINOUS COAL PRODUCTION



ANNUAL
(thousands of tons)

MONTHLY
(thousands of tons)

PERCENT
TOTAL
OF
U.S.

TOTAL -----1984-----

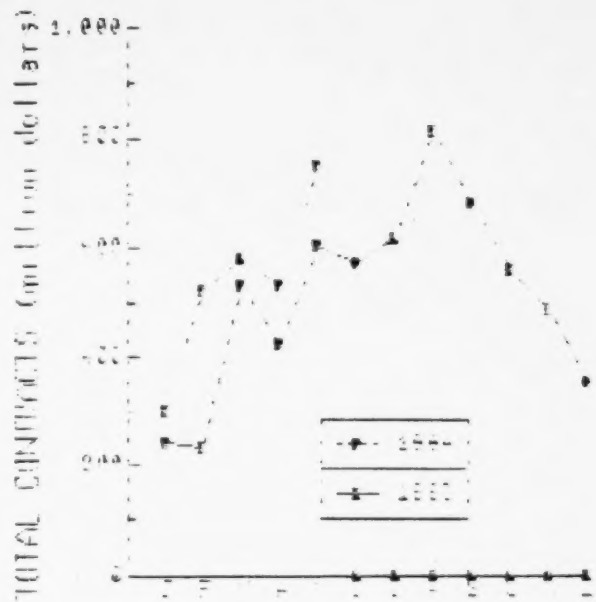
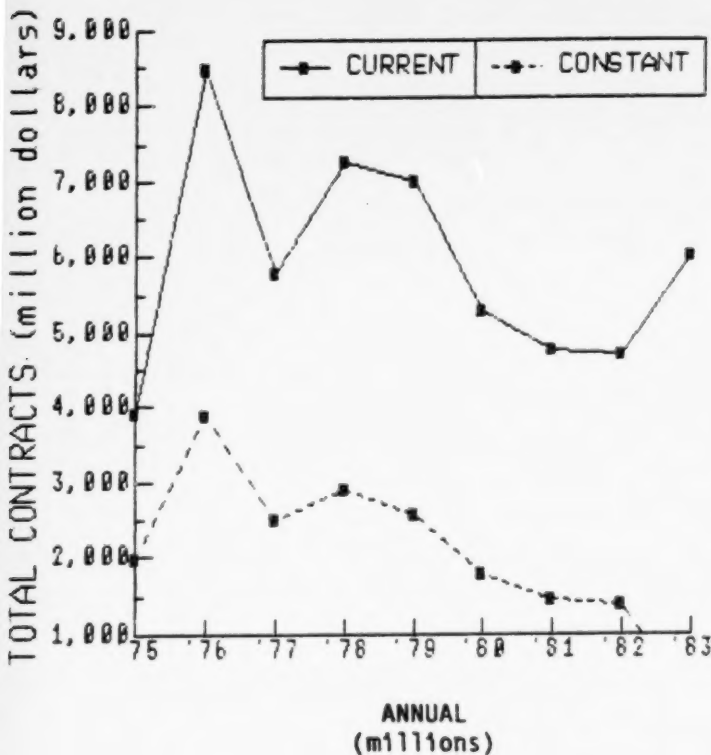
Year	SURFACE	UNDERGROUND	TOTAL	PERCENT TOTAL OF U.S.	Month	1983	SURFACE	UNDERGROUND	TOTAL
1970	33,269	31,615	64,884	10.8	Jan	5,188	2,075	3,448	5,520
1971	28,961	29,454	58,415 ^s	10.6	Feb	5,061	1,933	3,412	5,340
1972	33,806	31,715	65,621	11.0	March	5,626	2,170	3,693	5,860
1973	28,971	32,578	61,549	10.4	April	4,692	2,061	3,590	5,650
1974	26,969	31,104	58,073	9.6	May	4,674	2,254	3,893	6,140
1975	27,659	31,880	59,539	9.2	June	4,720			
1976	27,224	30,912	58,136	8.6	July	3,615			
1977	24,291	29,589	53,880	7.7	Aug	5,593			
1978	23,855	24,889	48,744 ^s	7.3	Sept	5,220			
1979	26,857	32,681	59,538	7.6	Oct	5,532			
1980	27,574	34,968	62,542	7.5	Nov	4,922			
1981	22,563	29,236	51,841 ^s	6.3	Dec	4,485			
1982	25,750	36,477	61,400	7.7					
1983	24,952	34,376	58,400						

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s - Affected by major strike activity.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Mines and Minerals.

ILLINOIS CONTRACTS FOR FUTURE* CONSTRUCTION



Year	Resi- den- tial	Non- Res.	Non- Bldg.	Current Amount	Constant Amount**	Current Percent Change		Month	Resi- den- tial	Non- Res.	Non- Bldg.	Amt.	% Change from 1 Year Ago	
						Ill.	U.S.						Ill.	U.S.
1970	NA	NA	NA	3,596	NA	-1.2	--	Jan	\$116	\$116	\$ 71	\$302	28	21
1971	\$1,752	\$1,405	\$799	3,956	2,792	10.0	17.4	Feb	117	236	172	524	140	25
1972	1,966	1,874	932	4,772	3,047	20.6	13.5	Mar	179	208	196	583	9	9
1973	2,102	1,597	1,239	4,938	2,898	3.5	9.2	Apr	246	183	100	530	24	7
1974	1,430	1,846	1,099	4,374	2,422	-11.4	-5.7	May	258	248	244	750	24	16
1975	1,363	1,482	1,062	3,907	1,988	-10.7	-1.1	June						
1976	2,172	1,591	4,697	8,459	3,886	116.5	22.3	July						
1977	3,183	1,641	962	5,786	2,511	-31.6	26.5	Aug						
1978	3,463	2,200	1,599	7,262	2,905	25.5	13.4	Sept						
1979	2,788	2,498	1,711	6,997	2,576	-3.6	4.0	Oct						
1980	1,702	2,192	1,408	5,302	1,786	-24.4	-13.0	Nov						
1981	1,579	2,240	962	4,781	1,471	-9.8	1.2	Dec						
1982	1,435	1,977	1,284	4,696	1,406	-1.0	0.7							
1983	2,338	2,242	1,439	6,020	NA	28.2	23.0							
1984**						9.2	9.4							

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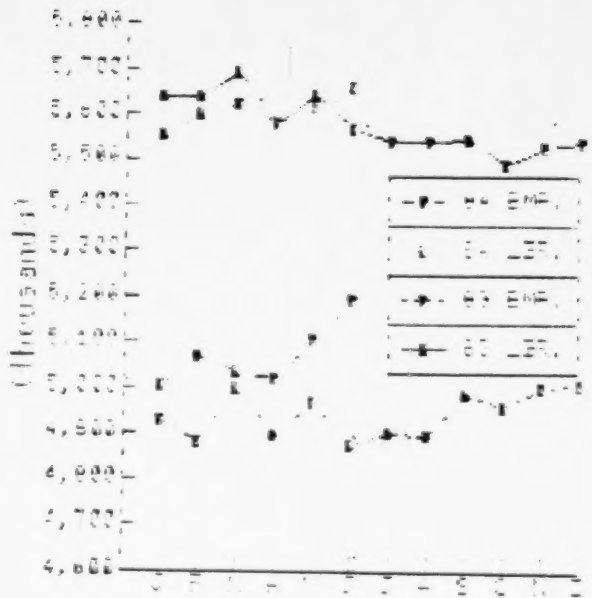
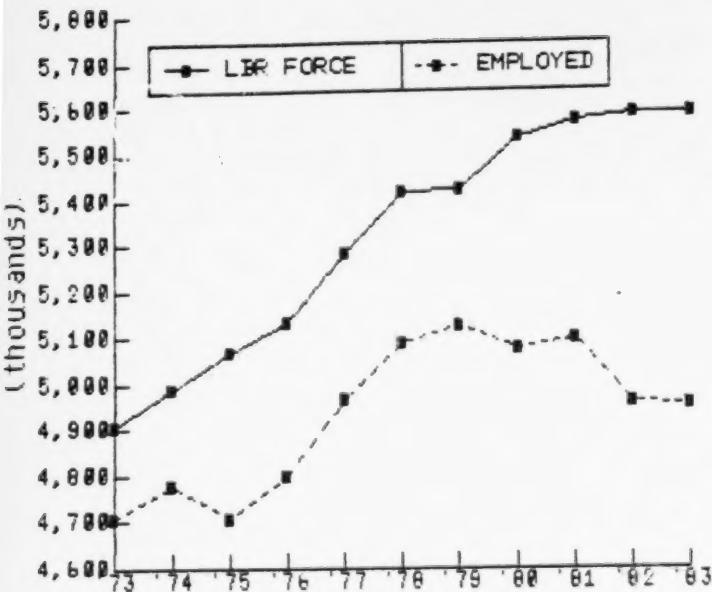
*Construction generally begins about 6 months later.

**Engineering News-Record building and construction cost index. (1967=100)

***Dodge Forecast. Figure under Illinois is actually for Midwest (MARCH).

SOURCE: Dodge Division. McGraw-Hill Information System Co.

ILLINOIS LABOR FORCE, EMPLOYED AND UNEMPLOYED



ANNUAL (thousands)						MONTH* (thousands) 1984					
ILLINOIS						ILLINOIS					
Year	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Numb.	Insured Unemployed Percent**	Month	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Insured Unemployed Numb.	Per*
1970	4,710	4,538	171	NA	NA	Jan	5,553	5,005	548	185.8	4.3
1971	4,735	4,494	242	96.5	3.0	Feb	5,599	5,067	532	173.4	4.1
1972	4,855	4,609	246	87.3	2.8	Mar	5,625	5,036	589	164.8	3.8
1973	4,909	4,705	203	68.4	1.9	Apr	5,579	5,021	558	156.1	3.7
1974	4,989	4,777	212	90.0	2.3	May	5,617	5,108	509	133.3	3.1
1975	5,068	4,708	360	216.8	5.6	June	5,658	5,192	466	116.6	2.7
1976	5,132	4,797	336	197.9	5.3	July					
1977	5,289	4,964	325	172.3	4.6	Aug					
1978	5,420	5,092	329	149.7	3.7	Sep					
1979	5,429	5,130	298	141.0	3.1	Oct					
1980	5,539	5,082	458	212.7	4.6	Nov					
1981	5,578	5,103	474	196.8	4.4	Dec					
1982 ^r	5,597	4,963	634	252.5	5.5						
1983 ^r	5,593	4,953	640	217.8	5.0						

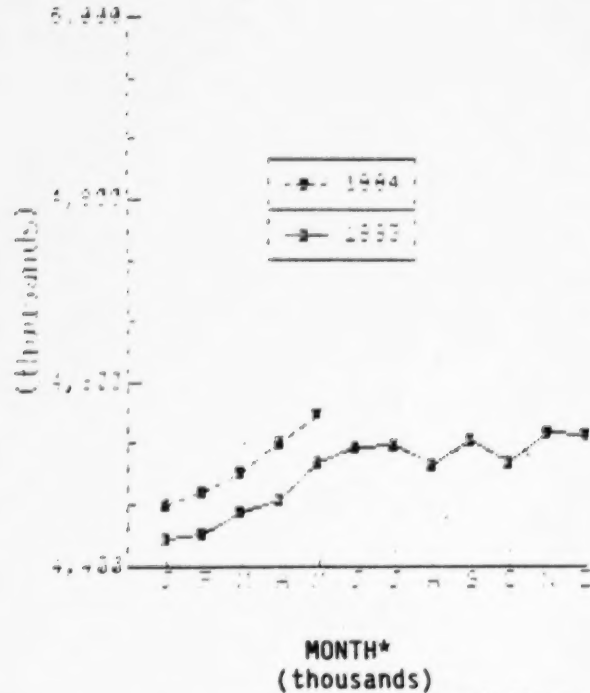
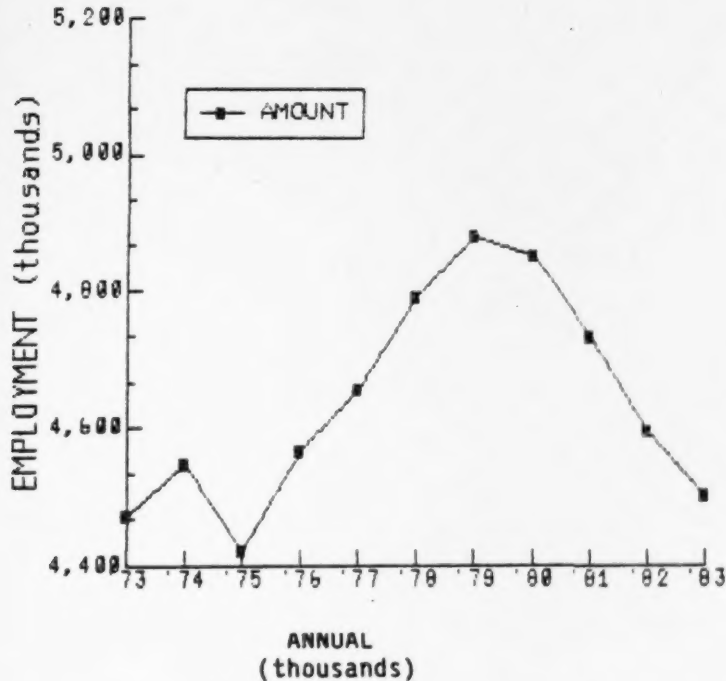
*Data is seasonally adjusted except for insured unemployed.

**Insured unemployment as percent of average covered employment.

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SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

ILLINOIS
TOTAL NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT



Year	Amount	Percent Change		Month	1982 ^r	1983 ^r	1984	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago	
		ILL.	U.S.					ILL.	U.S.
1970	4,346	-0.7	0.7	Jan	4,610	4,429	4,468	0.4	3.3
1971	4,296	-1.1	0.5	Feb	4,604	4,433	4,479	1.0	3.9
1972	4,315	0.4	3.5	Mar	4,605	4,459	4,502	1.0	4.1
1973	4,470	3.6	4.2	Apr	4,609	4,473	4,534	1.4	4.3
1974	4,546	1.7	1.9	May	4,628	4,513	4,565	1.2	4.6
1975	4,419	-2.8	-1.7	June	4,627	4,529			
1976	4,566	3.3	3.2	July	4,608	4,533			
1977	4,656	2.0	3.9	Aug	4,588	4,509			
1978	4,789	2.9	5.1	Sept	4,586	4,537			
1979	4,880	2.0	3.6	Oct	4,566	4,512			
1980	4,850	-0.3	0.8	Nov	4,552	4,545			
1981	4,732	-2.3	1.8	Dec	4,536	4,542			
1982 ^r	4,593	-2.9	-1.7						
1983 ^r	4,501 ^r	-2.0	0.4						

^r - New March 1983 benchmark revisions.

NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on the 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.

*Data not seasonally adjusted.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

NON-AGRICULTURE EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY
ILLINOIS
(thousands)

	1981	1982 ^r	1983 ^r	Jan	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
				-----1984*-----											
Mining	27	27	24	23	23	24	24	24							
Construction	168	156	145	122	119	125	136	147							
Manufacturing	1131	1013	951	970	974	979	985	988							
Transp., & Publ Util.	287	274	262	263	266	266	267	269							
Wholesale, & Ret. Trade	1104	1088	1085	1091	1080	1082	1090	1102							
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	320	326	321	318	316	317	317	318							
Services	962	991	1014	998	1004	1007	1009	1015							
Government	735	718	700	684	697	702	706	702							
TOTAL	4732	4593	4501	4468	4479	4502	4534	4566							

CHICAGO SMSA
(thousands)

	1981	1982 ^r	1983 ^r	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
				-----1984-----											
Mining	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3							
Construction	101	100	100	84	82	89	97	105							
Manufacturing	766	686	640	641	642	644	646	647							
Transp., & Pub. Util.	195	183	176	176	178	178	178	180							
Wholesale & Retail Trade	761	746	737	734	725	729	735	741							
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	243	243	239	237	237	236	238	239							
Services	699	724	740	732	735	740	743	748							
Government	409	396	382	375	379	381	382	382							
TOTAL	3179	3080	3017	2983	2982	3001	3024	3044							

*Data not seasonally adjusted. 1983 Benchmark date.
r - revised. 1983 Benchmark date.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY IN SMSA'S *
MAY 1983 AND 1984

(thousands)

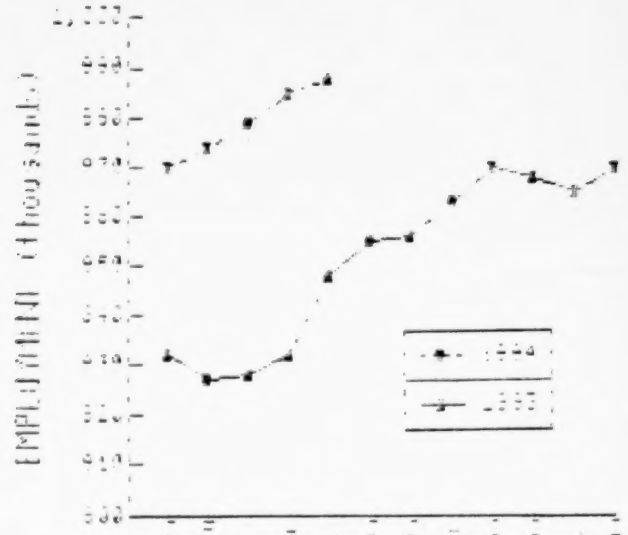
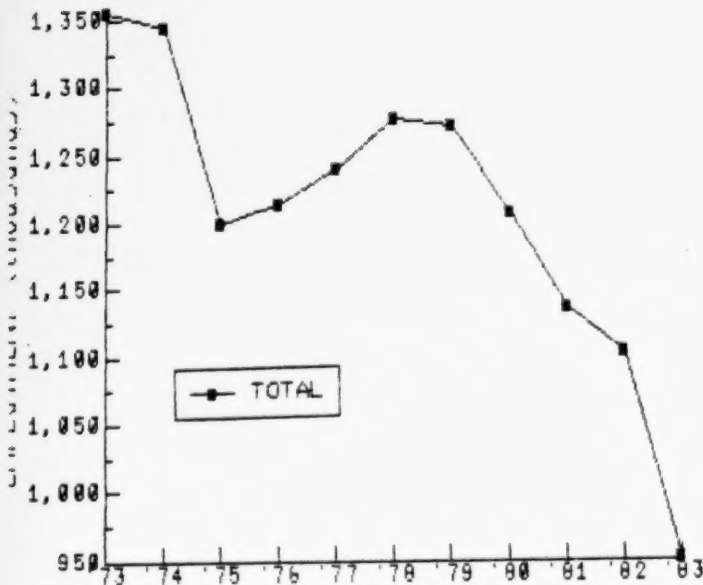
Industry	Bloomington/ Normal 1983 1984	Champaign/ Urbana 1983 1984	Davenport/ Rock Island/ Moline 1983 1984	Decatur 1983 1984	Kankakee 1983 1984	Peoria 1983 1984	Rockford 1983 1984	Springfield 1983 1984
Construction &								
Mining	1.1 1.1	1.7 1.6	5.7 5.8	2.0 2.0	1.2 1.1	6.1 6.7	3.0 3.4	2.7 2.7
Manufacturing	5.3 5.9	7.1 7.0	36.1 36.5	17.1 18.2	5.7 6.1	36.4 36.1	40.9 44.3	5.4 5.7
Durable goods	3.4 3.7	2.2 2.2	29.1 29.4	7.6 9.0	2.6 2.7	31.3 30.6	34.9 38.1	3.2 3.5
Nondurable goods	1.9 2.2	4.9 4.8	7.0 7.1	9.5 9.2	3.1 3.4	5.1 5.5	6.0 6.2	2.2 2.2
Trans & Public								
Utilities	3.3 3.1	2.5 2.5	6.8 6.9	4.0 3.7	1.1 1.1	6.6 6.7	4.4 4.3	4.3 4.1
Wholesale Trade	2.6 2.6	3.5 3.4	10.3 10.2	1.5 1.6	1.5 1.5	7.0 6.7	5.8 5.9	3.7 3.6
Retail Trade	9.3 10.4	14.7 14.5	28.1 28.2	9.3 9.7	5.7 5.7	23.9 24.1	18.4 18.7	15.4 15.4
Finance, Ins. &								
Real Estate	8.6 8.7	2.4 2.4	7.2 7.2	2.7 2.8	1.5 1.5	6.5 6.5	4.3 4.2	7.5 7.5
Services	9.1 8.9	11.8 12.2	26.4 26.5	8.9 9.0	7.3 6.9	27.2 27.6	19.8 20.6	18.5 18.5
Government	9.1 9.1	31.2 31.5	26.8 27.9	5.3 5.2	7.5 7.6	16.1 16.2	12.6 12.6	29.4 29.5
Total Non-								
agricultural	48.4 49.8	74.9 75.1	147.4 149.2	50.8 52.2	31.5 31.5	129.8 130.6	109.2 114.0	86.9 87.0

Data are not seasonally adjusted.

*Excludes Chicago and St. Louis.

Source: Illinois Department of Labor

ILLINOIS MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT



ANNUAL (thousands) Manufacturing Employment						MONTH* (thousands)				
Year	Durable	Non-Durable	Total	Total Percent Change		Month	1983 ^r	1984 ^r	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago	
				Ill.	U.S.				Ill.	U.S.
1969	923	478	1,417			Jan	932	970	3.9	6.3
1970	875	468	1,359	-4.1	-4.0	Feb	927	974	5.1	6.8
1971	820	447	1,282	-5.7	-3.9	Mar	928	979	5.5	7.0
1972	845	439	1,285	0.2	2.8	Apr	932	985	5.7	7.0
1973	909	445	1,355	5.9	5.2	May	948	988	4.2	7.0
1974	904	441	1,345	-0.7	-0.3	June	955			
1975	789	411	1,200	-10.8	-8.8	July	956			
1976	796	419	1,215	1.3	3.7	Aug	963			
1977	822	419	1,241	2.1	3.6	Sept	970			
1978	847	429	1,276	2.8	4.2	Oct	968			
1979	846	425	1,272	-0.3	2.6	Nov	965			
1980	804	404	1,208	-5.0	-3.5	Dec	970			
1981	751	381	1,131	-6.1	-0.6					
1982 ^r	643	370	1,013	-10.4	-6.6					
1983 ^r	580	371	951	-6.1	-0.9					

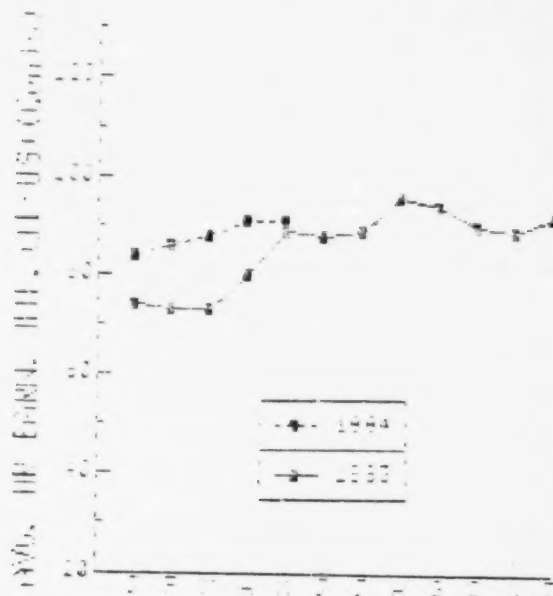
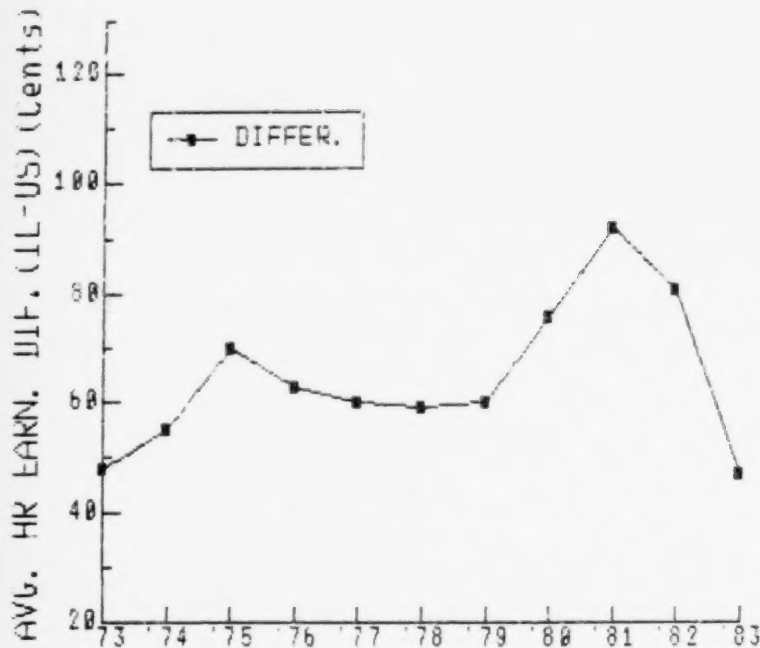
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NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.

*Data not seasonally adjusted.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

ILLINOIS
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN MANUFACTURING



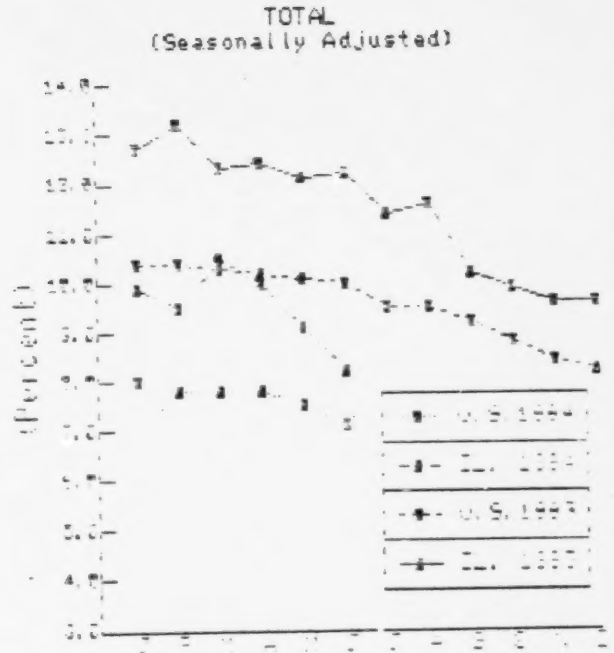
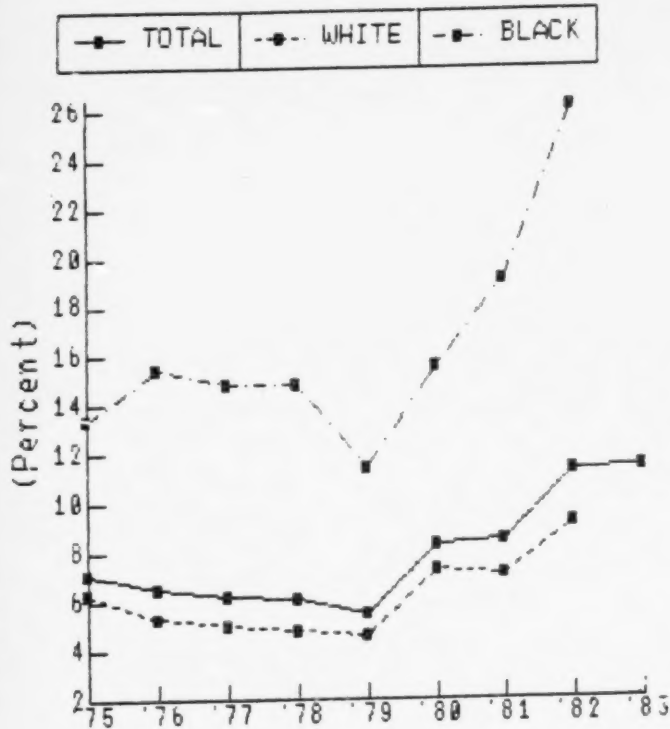
ANNUAL					MONTH* 1984				
Year	Average Weekly Hours	Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings		Month	Average Weekly Hours	Average ^r Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings	
			Ill.	U.S.				Ill. ^r	U.S.
1970	40.3	147.03	3.65	3.36	Jan	41.1	\$408.12	\$ 9.93	\$9.09
1971	40.1	157.57	3.93	3.56	Feb	40.9	406.55	9.94	9.08
1972	41.0	175.55	4.28	3.82	Mar	41.0	408.77	9.97	9.09
1973	41.2	187.85	4.57	4.09	Apr	41.4	414.83	10.02	9.11
1974	40.4	200.69	4.97	4.42	May	40.9	410.23	10.03	9.12
1975	39.7	219.13	5.53	4.83	June				
1976	40.4	236.11	5.85	5.22	July				
1977	40.6	254.91	6.28	5.68	Aug				
1978	40.1	271.42	6.76	6.17	Sep				
1979	40.7	296.66	7.30	6.70	Oct				
1980	39.8	320.15	8.04	7.28	Nov				
1981	40.0	356.33	8.91	7.99	Dec				
1982	39.2	364.86	9.32	8.50					
1983	40.6	393.59	9.31	8.84					
1984				9.22**					
1985				9.80**					
1986				10.45**					

*Data not seasonally adjusted.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast (JUNE).

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE



Annual	ILLINOIS			U.S.		
	Total	White	Black	Total	White	Black
1970	3.6	3.4	5.9	5.0	4.5	8.2
1971	5.1	4.5	10.2	5.9	5.4	9.9
1972	5.1	4.4	11.0	5.6	5.0	10.0
1973	4.1	3.4	9.6	4.8	4.3	8.9
1974	4.2	NA	NA	5.6	5.0	9.9
1975	7.1	6.3	13.4	8.5	7.8	13.9
1976	6.5	5.3	15.4	7.7	7.0	13.1
1977	6.2	5.0	14.8	7.1	6.2	13.1
1978	6.1	4.8	14.8	6.1	5.2	11.9
1979	5.5	4.6	11.4	5.8	5.1	11.3
1980	8.3	7.3	15.5	7.1	6.3	13.1
1981	8.5	7.1	19.1	7.6	6.7	15.6
1982	11.3	9.2	26.2	9.6	8.6	18.9
1983	11.4			9.4		
1984**				7.4, 7.5		
1985**				7.8, 7.6		

Month	ILLINOIS			U.S.		
	1984*	1983	1984	1984*	1983	1984
Jan	10.7	12.7	9.9	8.6	10.4	8.0
Feb	10.1	13.2	9.5	8.4	10.4	7.8
Mar	10.6	12.3	10.5	8.1	10.3	7.8
Apr	9.5	12.4	10.0	7.6	10.2	7.8
May	8.8	12.1	9.1	7.2	10.1	7.5
June		12.2	8.2		10.0	7.1
July		11.4			9.5	
Aug		11.6			9.5	
Sept		10.2			9.2	
Oct		9.9			8.8	
Nov		9.6			8.4	
Dec		9.6			8.2	

*Data not seasonally adjusted.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast (JUNE), Data Resources Forecast (JUNE).

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

ILLINOIS
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE* IN STANDARD METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS

	Average Annual	Jan	Feb	Mar ^r	Apr ^r	May ^p	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
BLOOMINGTON													
1981	6.1	7.9	6.9	7.0	6.0	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.8	5.2	5.0	5.4	6.2
1982	7.9	6.8	7.3	8.2	8.0	7.0	8.3	7.6	8.4	8.2	8.1	8.4	8.7
1983 ^p	7.9	9.6	9.7	8.6	8.1	8.1	8.5	8.2	7.8	6.2	6.2	6.2	7.3
1984 ^p		7.5	7.0	7.6	6.6	6.0							
CHAMPAIGN													
1981	5.9	7.1	5.9	6.6	5.4	6.1	6.5	5.7	5.6	5.1	5.6	5.6	5.5
1982	5.7	5.2	5.0	5.1	4.9	5.3	5.8	6.3	6.2	5.8	5.7	6.2	6.4
1983 ^p	6.5	7.4	7.3	6.7	6.7	6.8	7.4	6.9	7.1	5.3	5.3	5.6	6.0
1984 ^p		6.8	6.2	6.6	5.7	5.6							
CHICAGO													
1981	8.1	9.2	8.1	8.7	7.8	7.7	8.0	7.5	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.3
1982	10.6	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.6	10.1	11.1	11.5	10.8	11.4	11.1	11.5	11.2
1983 ^p	10.4	12.0	12.5	11.4	10.9	10.8	11.7	10.7	10.4	9.1	8.7	8.4	8.5
1984 ^p		9.6	9.0	9.6	8.7	8.2							
DAVENPORT- ROCK ISLAND- MOBILE (Ill. Part)													
1981	9.1	9.8	8.3	8.6	7.8	9.6	8.4	7.4	8.9	9.1	9.5	11.0	11.0
1982	15.8	16.4	11.5	12.2	13.7	12.4	15.2	16.8	15.9	19.8	19.6	20.7	20.7
1983 ^p	16.8	21.6	19.8	17.5	16.7	17.0	18.5	16.8	16.0	14.5	14.3	14.4	14.0
1984 ^p		15.8	14.5	14.3	12.9	11.5							
DECATUR													
1981	11.2	12.9	11.3	11.8	11.1	11.1	10.8	10.1	9.9	10.5	11.3	11.6	11.5
1982	15.6	12.3	12.3	12.9	11.8	17.7	15.4	16.1	19.2	16.2	16.5	18.3	17.7
1983 ^p	14.8	18.8	19.0	16.5	16.3	16.4	16.4	14.9	13.8	12.0	11.2	11.2	11.3
1984 ^p		12.6	11.8	12.3	10.2	9.4							
PEORIA													
1981	8.4	10.8	9.7	10.9	8.4	8.3	8.1	6.8	7.0	6.9	7.4	8.3	8.4
1982	13.9	9.8	10.7	10.7	11.4	11.9	16.1	16.2	14.9	16.1	16.8	18.3	17.5
1983 ^p	15.9	18.4	19.3	17.5	16.4	16.0	18.3	16.4	15.8	14.1	13.2	12.9	12.7
1984 ^p		14.0	12.8	13.1	11.9	10.7							
ROCKFORD													
1981	10.1	12.4	10.7	11.2	9.2	9.0	9.7	8.3	9.1	8.9	9.1	12.7	10.6
1982	16.5	11.9	15.3	12.3	15.1	18.8	19.3	19.3	18.5	16.0	20.6	21.3	17.5
1983 ^p	14.5	20.6	17.1	16.2	15.2	14.7	15.6	14.1	13.1	11.3	11.0	13.9	10.3
1984 ^p		11.4	10.7	11.1	10.0	9.1							
SPRINGFIELD													
1981	6.7	8.4	7.2	7.2	6.4	6.5	6.7	6.2	5.9	6.1	6.2	6.5	6.8
1982	7.7	8.3	7.7	7.1	6.5	6.7	7.4	7.4	6.7	7.8	7.9	9.4	9.8
1983 ^p	8.5	10.0	10.3	9.8	9.0	9.0	9.4	8.3	8.1	6.9	6.7	6.7	7.4
1984 ^p		8.2	7.6	8.2	7.4	6.6							
ST. LOUIS (Ill. Part)													
1981	10.1	11.3	11.0	11.5	10.0	9.9	10.5	8.9	9.6	9.4	10.2	10.1	9.4
1982	12.2	11.1	11.7	11.3	10.8	10.9	12.2	12.8	11.7	12.9	12.4	13.2	13.5
1983 ^p	12.5	14.9	14.9	13.2	12.3	12.6	14.1	13.1	12.7	11.3	10.4	10.5	10.5
1984 ^p		12.6	11.7	12.2	10.7	9.7							

NOTE: For Kankakee SMSA Data see Kankakee County.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

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ILLINOIS
AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

COUNTY	1980	1981	1982	1984											
				Jan	Feb ^r	Mar ^r	Apr ^p	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Adams	8.9	7.8	12.7	13.5	12.7	13.7	11.9								
Alexander	17.7	18.8	20.5	20.5	20.4	24.3	23.1								
Bond	9.9	10.3	11.5	14.9	13.0	14.3	12.6								
Boone	9.8	9.5	18.4	10.3	10.2	10.8	8.9								
Brown	7.0	6.5	8.5	10.8	11.3	12.8	10.8								
Bureau	10.1	8.9	12.9	12.5	12.0	11.9	11.1								
Calhoun	17.3	17.0	18.9	29.7	26.9	28.6	23.9								
Carroll	7.8	7.1	9.4	7.9	7.8	8.4	6.7								
Cass	6.4	6.9	8.8	10.9	10.2	10.2	9.0								
Champaign	5.6	5.9	5.7	6.8	6.2	6.6	5.7								
Christian	9.4	7.9	11.2	13.0	12.4	12.4	11.6								
Clark	11.0	11.0	15.0	18.2	19.8	19.9	16.1								
Clay	11.1	9.2	13.7	16.3	16.5	19.1	18.0								
Clinton	9.5	9.7	11.7	13.4	12.4	14.0	11.7								
Coles	10.1	9.4	10.1	9.4	9.2	9.5	8.6								
Cook	8.1	8.5	10.8	9.8	9.2	9.8	9.0								
Crawford	9.4	7.4	12.8	13.2	12.9	13.7	13.1								
Cumberland	11.2	10.2	11.9	16.3	15.3	15.6	12.1								
DeKalb	6.6	7.1	8.4	7.6	6.8	7.1	6.2								
DeWitt	8.2	8.0	12.0	10.9	9.8	9.7	7.9								
Douglas	6.0	5.8	8.0	9.4	8.9	8.8	7.5								
DuPage	5.1	5.6	8.2	7.8	7.4	7.8	6.9								
Edgar	9.3	8.5	11.6	14.3	15.5	17.4	14.7								
Edwards	5.8	4.9	8.9	10.0	11.8	13.1	12.2								
Effingham	9.6	8.8	11.4	12.9	12.5	13.7	12.0								
Fayette	10.2	8.9	12.1	16.9	17.1	18.5	15.4								
Ford	6.1	6.7	8.9	11.0	9.7	10.6	9.3								
Franklin	14.4	13.7	16.2	19.5	18.4	19.9	18.4								
Fulton	7.9	9.1	15.6	17.1	15.7	15.9	13.2								
Gallatin	15.9	20.1	20.8	27.5	25.7	26.7	24.5								
Greene	9.6	9.1	11.1	14.4	12.9	13.8	11.8								
Grundy	9.5	8.5	11.9	13.3	12.9	13.0	11.4								
Hamilton	12.0	10.8	13.6	17.7	17.9	18.6	16.9								
Hancock	7.4	6.9	10.4	9.9	10.7	10.7	9.4								
Hardin	18.2	17.3	23.7	24.0	22.6	22.6	19.7								
Henderson	8.0	8.3	11.9	13.0	12.2	12.2	10.6								
Henry	8.5	7.7	13.6	15.3	14.6	13.7	12.1								
Iroquois	6.3	6.8	8.7	10.6	10.1	10.3	8.3								
Jackson	8.7	9.5	9.3	10.1	8.7	9.8	8.1								
Jasper	10.4	8.3	11.4	12.8	12.4	13.6	12.1								
Jefferson	11.3	11.1	13.7	14.7	13.7	14.7	13.2								
Jersey	12.9	12.4	14.7	17.7	16.3	16.6	14.7								
Jo Daviess	8.5	7.8	11.5	9.5	10.1	10.9	9.0								
Johnson	11.1	11.9	13.8	20.4	20.5	20.5	20.2								
Kane	7.8	8.1	12.3	10.3	9.9	10.5	8.9								
Kankakee	11.5	12.3	16.5	15.3	14.2	14.6	12.9								
Kendall	5.2	6.2	11.5	8.4	8.1	8.5	6.9								
Knox	13.9	11.5	14.9	13.8	12.3	12.7	11.3								
Lake	6.8	6.5	8.5	8.1	7.8	8.2	7.1								
LaSalle	13.3	11.8	15.5	15.9	15.7	16.2	14.1								
Lawrence	8.6	7.2	11.7	12.1	11.2	12.8	13.4								
Lee	6.3	6.9	9.6	11.0	10.2	10.5	9.5								

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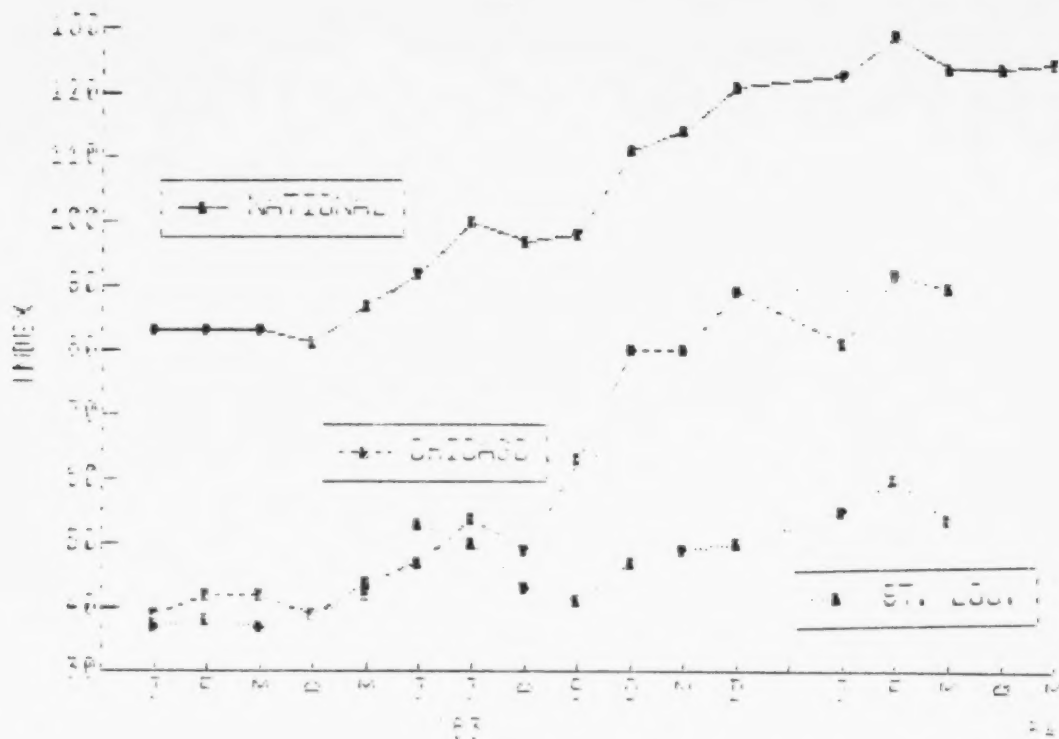
COUNTY	1980	1981	1982	1984											
				Jan	Feb ^r	Mar ^r	Apr ^p	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Livingston	6.5	6.8	9.0	10.0	9.6	10.5	8.6								
Logan	7.1	7.5	10.6	10.2	8.8	9.7	8.1								
Macon	11.7	11.2	15.6	12.6	11.8	12.3	10.8								
Macoupin	8.3	8.6	11.7	12.9	11.5	12.5	10.8								
Madison	10.6	10.3	13.0	13.2	11.8	12.2	10.8								
Marion	10.8	11.0	12.7	14.2	13.7	14.3	12.8								
Marshall	6.8	5.9	10.7	10.3	9.4	9.9	8.7								
Mason	9.1	8.9	12.5	11.1	10.0	10.7	8.6								
Massac	11.6	12.7	19.6	15.2	15.9	17.2	14.7								
McDonough	8.3	7.2	11.1	12.0	9.2	9.4	8.2								
McHenry	7.3	7.5	10.0	9.9	9.4	9.5	8.0								
McLean	6.2	6.1	7.9	7.5	7.0	7.6	6.7								
Menard	5.6	4.7	7.0	7.4	7.1	7.1	5.7								
Mercer	6.6	7.9	12.9	14.0	12.8	13.0	11.5								
Monroe	7.8	7.8	9.7	12.4	11.4	12.2	9.5								
Montgomery	10.6	12.7	14.5	18.8	17.6	18.8	17.2								
Morgan	7.0	7.2	9.4	10.7	10.3	10.9	9.2								
Moultrie	8.2	6.9	12.1	9.7	9.1	9.1	7.5								
Ogle	7.9	9.3	11.3	9.5	9.1	9.6	8.3								
Peoria	8.6	8.7	14.3	13.8	12.6	12.7	11.6								
Perry	10.3	12.0	13.2	15.5	13.9	15.0	13.2								
Platt	7.4	6.8	10.2	10.5	10.0	10.2	8.0								
Pike	8.4	8.6	10.8	15.7	15.1	15.8	14.2								
Pope	17.2	18.1	22.2	24.3	22.6	23.3	22.8								
Pulaski	16.7	17.0	18.0	18.2	18.2	19.4	20.9								
Putnam	11.0	9.4	15.5	15.9	14.4	13.7	11.6								
Randolph	7.6	8.3	10.1	10.9	10.4	11.4	10.0								
Richland	10.2	8.0	13.7	18.5	16.0	19.6	19.9								
Rock Island	7.8	9.6	16.5	15.9	14.5	14.5	13.0								
St. Clair	9.6	10.2	11.7	11.9	11.4	12.0	10.4								
Saline	13.0	15.8	18.8	20.6	18.7	18.9	17.0								
Sangamon	7.6	6.8	7.8	8.2	7.6	8.2	7.4								
Schuyler	7.4	6.9	9.3	13.4	12.9	14.1	12.3								
Scott	6.7	6.8	10.7	12.8	12.3	14.1	11.7								
Shelby	12.2	12.0	16.7	16.6	15.5	15.0	12.9								
Stark	6.5	6.9	12.1	10.4	10.0	9.6	8.5								
Stephenson	7.3	7.8	11.0	8.4	8.1	8.3	7.0								
Tazewell	8.4	8.6	14.2	14.9	13.6	14.3	12.4								
Union	12.4	13.7	18.2	19.8	20.7	21.4	19.3								
Vermilion	12.4	13.2	16.6	14.4	13.7	14.2	13.0								
Wabash	6.5	6.6	12.0	10.6	10.6	12.0	10.4								
Warren	9.1	9.1	10.9	11.9	10.5	9.9	8.1								
Washington	7.7	8.6	9.9	12.8	12.1	12.4	11.1								
Wayne	10.8	9.2	12.3	15.7	16.3	19.3	17.9								
White	11.6	11.8	14.7	18.4	20.8	23.3	20.7								
Whiteside	9.7	9.3	16.3	13.2	12.5	12.5	10.6								
Will	8.4	8.5	12.9	11.0	10.8	11.4	10.2								
Williamson	14.2	15.2	17.7	20.3	19.4	20.9	19.0								
Winnebago	10.3	10.1	16.3	11.5	10.8	11.1	10.1								
Woodford	5.5	5.5	10.6	11.2	10.5	11.2	9.8								

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SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor.

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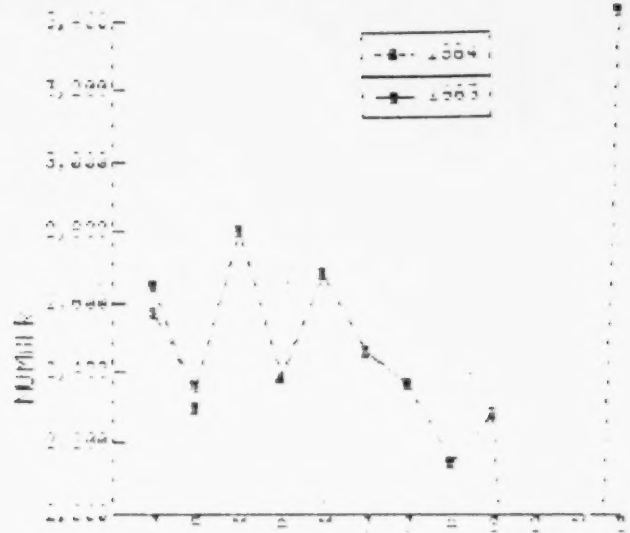
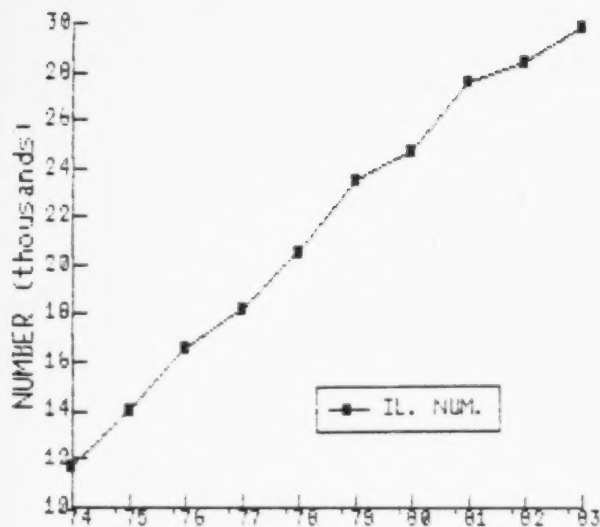
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National Index (51 Papers)	1983	83	83	83	81	87	92	100	97	98	111	114	121
	1984	123	129	124	124	125							
East North Central (10 Papers)	1983	44	46	44	42	46	48	57	50	53	63	65	74
	1984	70	76	71									
Chicago	1983	39	42	42	39	44	47	54	49	63	80	80	89
	1984	81	92	90									
St. Louis**	1983	37	38	37	39	42	53	50	43	41	47	49	50
	1984	55	60	54									

*The monthly classified help-wanted advertising total for one newspaper in each of 51 cities is used as the basis for city indexes and the national index is a composite of all 51 city indexes.

**St. Louis is in the West North Central region.

SOURCE: The Conference Board.

ILLINOIS NEW BUSINESS INCORPORATIONS



ANNUAL				MONTH*					
Year	Ill. Number	Percent Change		Month	1982	1983	1984	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago	
		ILL.	U.S.					ILL.	U.S.
1970	8,585	1.5	-3.6	Jan	2,309	2,570	2649	3.1	10.0
1971	10,116	17.8	9.1	Feb	2,120	2,362	2295	-2.8	17.7
1972	12,106	19.7	10.1	Mar	2,623	2,801			
1973	12,376	2.2	3.8	Apr	2,246	2,392			
1974	11,720	-5.3	-3.0	May	2,740	2,686			
1975	14,022	19.6	2.2	June	2,392	2,460			
1976	16,573	18.2	15.3	July	2,251	2,366			
1977	18,291	10.4	16.1	Aug	2,148	2,142			
1978	20,638	12.8	9.6	Sept	2,209	2,283			
1979	23,559	14.2	9.7	Oct	2,032	N/A			
1980	24,804	5.3	1.7	Nov	2,037	N/A			
1981	27,632	11.4	9.0	Dec	3,362	3,430			
1982	28,469	3.0	-2.5	CUMULATIVE THRU LATEST MO.				0.2	13.6
1983	29,952	5.2	5.9	*Data not seasonally adjusted.					

REGIONAL COMPOSITION Percent of Total

Region	1977	1979	1981	1982	1983
New England	4.8	4.5	4.8	4.7	4.8
Middle Atlantic	19.1	17.2	16.5	16.8	17.5
E. North Central	13.4	13.3	13.0	13.2	13.1
W. North Central	6.4	6.2	5.5	5.2	5.4
South Atlantic	21.8	21.9	22.8	23.2	24.1
E. South Central	4.3	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8
W. South Central	9.5	11.6	11.9	13.1	11.5
Mountain	6.9	6.9	7.5	7.1	7.2
Pacific	13.8	14.6	14.2	13.0	12.6
U.S.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

SOURCE: Dun & Bradstreet, Inc.

BANKRUPTCY FILINGS BY DISTRICT AND SOURCE

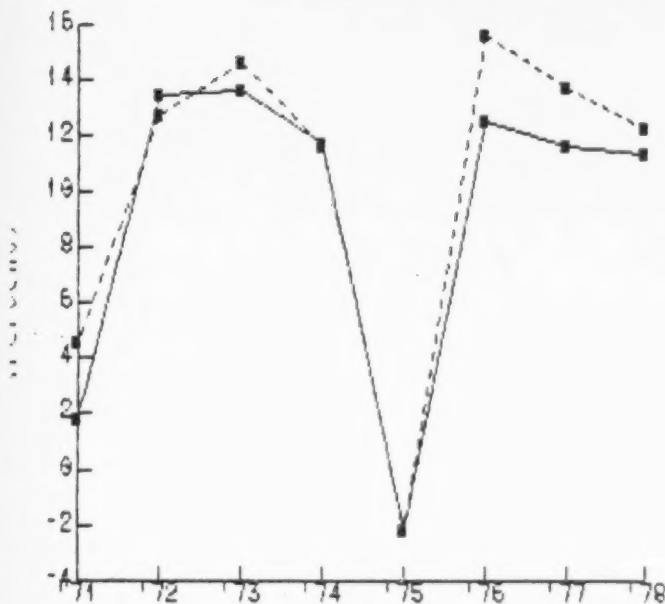
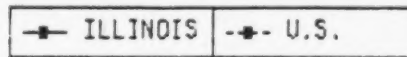
	<u>1979*</u>	<u>1980</u>	<u>1981</u>	<u>1982</u>	<u>1983</u>	<u>1984</u>
					<u>Jan-June</u>	<u>July-Dec</u>
NORTHERN DISTRICT						
Chicago: Business	978	2,180	1,615	2,123	2,075	
Non-Business	<u>11,474</u>	<u>16,232</u>	<u>14,503</u>	<u>15,374</u>	<u>14,618</u>	
TOTAL	12,452	18,412	16,118	17,497	16,693	
Rockford: Business	NA	197	83	109	124	
Non-Business	<u>NA</u>	<u>1,281</u>	<u>1,064</u>	<u>1,061</u>	<u>1,005</u>	
TOTAL	NA	1,478	1,147	1,170	1,129	
CENTRAL DISTRICT						
Peoria: Business	47	366	269	394	415	
Non-Business	<u>372</u>	<u>2,169</u>	<u>1,427</u>	<u>1,661</u>	<u>1,765</u>	
TOTAL	419	2,535	1,696	2,055	2,180	
Springfield: Business	196	337	311	333	350	
Non-Business	<u>1,598</u>	<u>1,955</u>	<u>1,569</u>	<u>1,521</u>	<u>1,316</u>	
TOTAL	1,794	2,292	1,880	1,854	1,666	
Danville: Business	NA	118	113	152	152	
Non-Business	<u>NA</u>	<u>1,051</u>	<u>830</u>	<u>885</u>	<u>942</u>	
TOTAL	NA	1,169	943	1,037	1,094	
SOUTHERN DISTRICT						
E. St. Louis: Business	194	343	263	389	438	
Non-Business	<u>1,178</u>	<u>2,115</u>	<u>1,909</u>	<u>1,313</u>	<u>1,203</u>	
TOTAL	1,372	2,458	2,172	1,702	1,641	

*Changes in definitions of bankruptcy in federal law account for discrepancies before 1980.

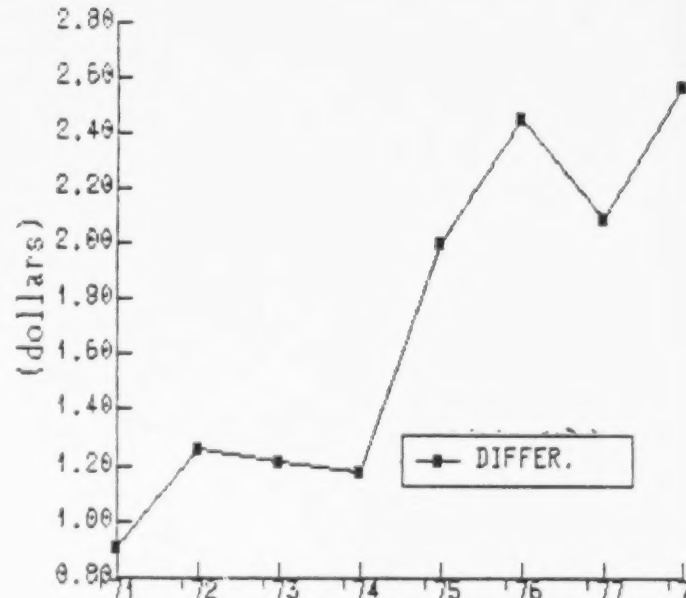
SOURCE: U. S. District Courts.

ILLINOIS MANUFACTURING PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTIVITY

PRODUCTION



PRODUCTIVITY*
(Ill. minus U.S.)



Year	-----PRODUCTION-----		Inventories Ill. End of Year (million)
	VALUE ADDED (million)	PERCENT CHANGE Ill. U.S.	
1970	\$22,379	-- --	\$7,215
1971	22,790	1.8 4.6	7,388
1972	25,849	13.4 12.7	7,854
1973	29,357	13.6 14.6	NA
1974	32,800	11.7 11.6	11,599
1975	32,089	-2.2 -2.2	11,198
1976	36,085	12.5 15.6	11,952
1977	40,279	11.6 13.7	13,028
1978	44,854	11.4 12.3	13,949
1979	NA		
1980	50,500		
1981			
1982			
1983			
1984			

-PRODUCTIVITY*-		----U.S. MANUFACTURING----	
Ill.	U.S.	Industrial Production Index (1967=100)	Capacity Utilization Rate (Percent)
\$12.14	\$11.26	106.4	79.3
13.34	12.43	108.2	78.4
14.52	13.26	118.9	83.5
15.65	14.44	129.8	87.6
17.79	16.61	129.4	83.8
20.38	18.38	116.3	72.9
22.62	20.17	130.3	79.5
24.02	21.93	138.4	82.2
26.31	23.74	146.8	84.7
		153.6	86.0
		146.7	79.5
		150.4	79.4
		137.6	71.1
		148.2	75.2
		163.5, 166.4**	81.9, 82.6**

--U.S. MANUFACTURING--		(SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)											
MONTHLY DATA	Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Industrial	'82	138.5	140.9	140.1	138.7	137.9	137.7	138.1	138.0	137.1	135.0	134.0	134.5
Prod. Index	'83	136.7	138.2	140.4	143.1	145.1	147.4	150.6	152.8	155.1	156.2	156.4	156.8
	'84r	159.5	161.4	162.1	164.1	164.7							
Capacity Utili-	'82	71.1	72.2	71.6	70.8	70.2	71.3	71.4	71.2	70.6	69.4	68.8	68.9
zation Rate (%)	'83	70.0	70.6	71.6	72.9	73.8	74.9	76.4	77.3	78.4	78.9	78.8	78.9
	'84r	80.1	80.9	81.0	81.8	81.9							

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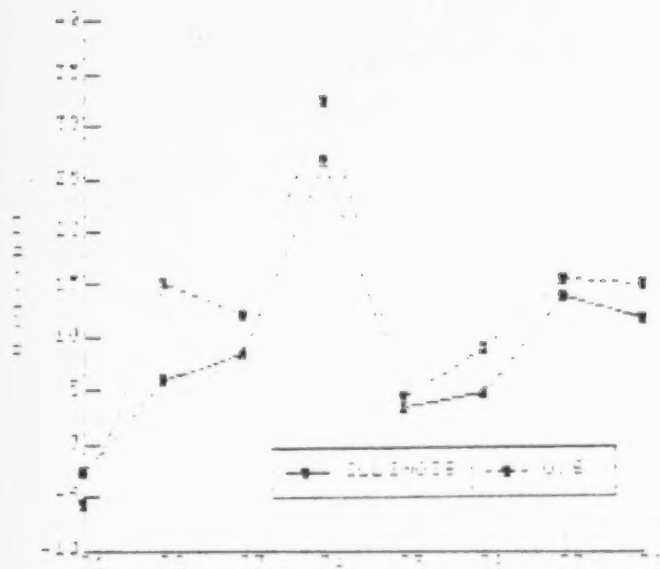
*Value of Production (Value Added) per manhour of work.

**Chase Econometrics Forecast (JUNE), Data Resource Forecast (JUNE).

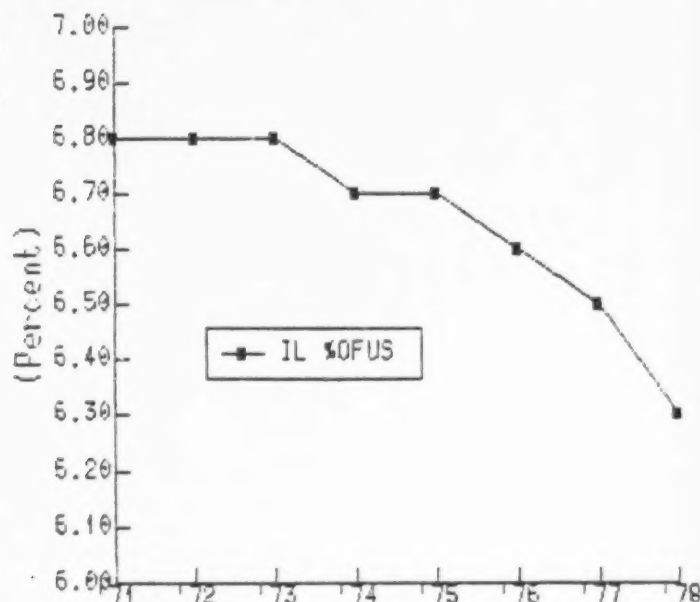
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS CAPITAL IN MANUFACTURING

NEW CAPITAL EXPENDITURES (Annual Percent Change)



GROSS BOOK VALUE OF DEPRECIABLE ASSETS (Illinois as Percent of U.S.)



(Millions of Dollars)				(Millions of Dollars)					
Year	Structures and Additions	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Total % Change		Structures and Buildings	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Illinois Percent of U.S.
				Ill.	U.S.				
1970	\$402	\$1,113	\$1,515	--	--	\$5,513	\$12,849	\$18,362	6.9
1971	448	1,028	1,476	-2.6	-5.5	5,796	13,165	18,962	6.8
1972	338	1,226	1,564	6.0	15.0	NA	NA	20,468*	6.8
1973	391*	1,308*	1,699	8.6	12.0	NA	NA	21,500*	6.8
1974	515	1,640	2,155	26.8	32.4	6,795	15,850	22,644	6.7
1975	494	1,734	2,229	3.4	4.4	7,172	17,486	24,658	6.7
1976	575	1,760	2,335	4.8	9.1	7,551	18,423	25,974	6.6
1977	531	2,131	2,662	14.0	15.5	8,029	20,298	28,327	6.5
1978	555	2,421	2,976	11.8	15.2	8,378	21,988	30,366	6.3
1979					23.8				
1980					17.4				
1981					9.5				
1982					-5.5				
1983					-7.1				
1984					13.3				

*Estimate prepared by Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.

**Business plans to increase plant and equipment spending -- U.S. Dept. of Commerce survey (NOVEMBER).

SOURCE: Annual Survey of Manufacturers, U.S. Department of Commerce.

INTEREST RATES
(Average Percent)

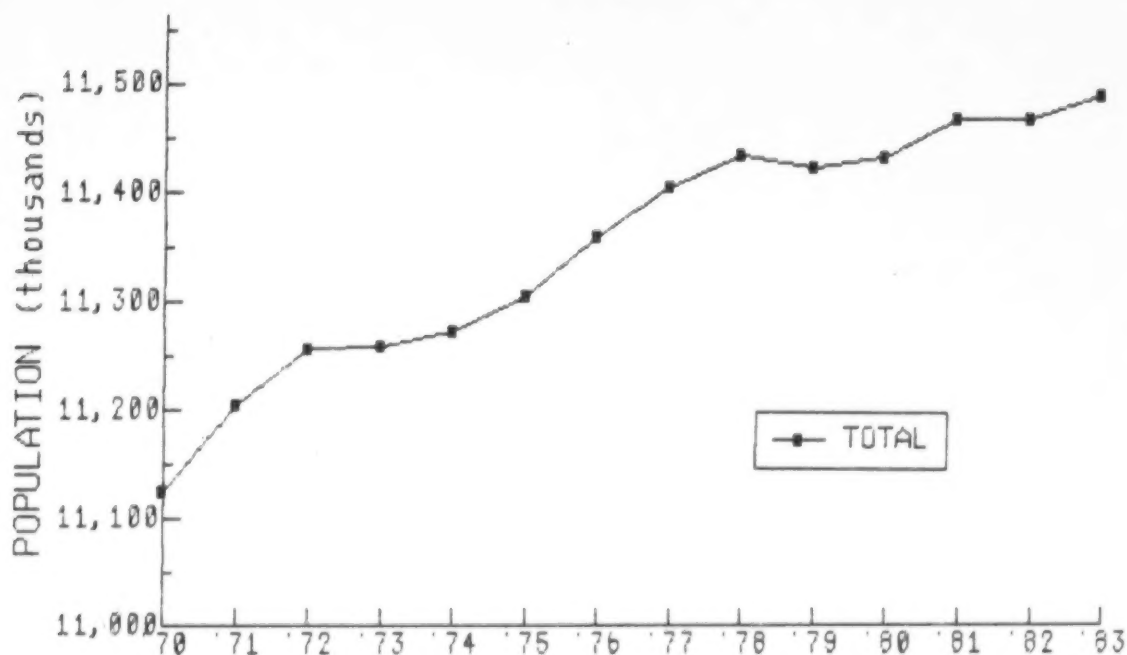
INSTRUMENT	1984														
	1981	1982	1983	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Federal Funds	16.38	12.26	9.09	9.56	9.59	9.91	10.29	10.32	11.06						
Discount Rate (NY Fed.)	13.41	11.02	8.50	8.50	8.50	8.50	8.87	9.00	9.00						
Prime Rate	18.87	14.86	11.16	11.00	11.00	11.21	11.93	12.39	12.60						
U.S. Treas. Bills (Secondary Market)															
3 month	14.03	10.61	8.61	8.90	9.09	9.52	9.69	9.83	9.87						
6 month	13.80	11.07	8.73	9.02	9.18	9.66	9.84	10.31	10.51						
Eurodollar Depos. (3 mo.)	16.79	13.12	9.56	9.78	9.91	10.40	10.83	11.53							
Bankers Accept. (90 day)	15.32	11.89	8.90	9.23	9.38	9.88	10.22	10.84	11.04						
Commercial Paper															
1 month	15.69	11.83	8.87	9.23	9.35	9.81	10.17	10.38	10.82						
3 month	15.32	11.89	8.88	9.20	9.32	9.83	10.18	10.65	10.98						
6 month	14.76	11.89	8.89	9.18	9.31	9.86	10.22	10.87	11.23						
Certificates of Deposit															
3 month	15.91	12.27	9.07	9.42	9.54	10.08	10.41	11.11	11.34						
6 month	15.77	12.57	9.27	9.56	9.73	10.37	10.73	11.64	11.96						
U.S. Treasury Bonds															
1 year	14.78	12.27	9.57	9.90	10.04	10.59	10.90	11.66	12.08						
3 year	14.44	12.92	10.45	10.93	11.05	11.59	11.98	12.75	13.18						
10 year	13.91	13.00	11.10	11.68	11.84	12.32	12.63	13.41	13.56						
State & Local Bonds															
Moody's Aaa	10.43	10.88	8.80	9.00	9.04	9.41	9.54	9.98							
"Bond Buyer" Series	11.33	11.66	9.51	9.63	9.64	9.94	9.96	N/A	10.67						
Corporate Bonds Aaa	14.17	13.79	12.04	12.20	12.08	12.57	12.81	13.28							
A - rated Utility Bond*	16.63	15.49	12.73	12.99	13.05	13.63	13.96	N/A	15.00						
Conventional Mortgages	16.63	16.08	13.43	13.28	13.31	13.39	13.65	13.94	14.42						
Dividend/Price Ratio															
Preferred Stocks	12.36	12.53	11.02	11.35	11.16	11.39	11.66								
Common Stocks	5.20	5.81	4.40	4.27	4.59	4.63	4.64								

*Changed from Aaa utility bonds because series was discontinued in January 1984.

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SOURCE: Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS POPULATION



POPULATION
(thousands)

Components of Change

RESIDENT POPULATION OF ILLINOIS

Year		Total	Change	Black	Births	Deaths	Net Migration	Total Percent Change Ill.	U.S.
1970	(July 1 EST.)	11,125*		1,420	205,472	110,680	-13,800		
1971	(July 1 EST.)	11,206	+81		195,322	109,848	-33,500	0.7	1.5
1972	(July 1 EST.)	11,258	+52		178,222	111,298	-64,900	0.5	1.2
1973	(July 1 EST.)	11,260	+2	1,499	169,249	110,510	-44,700	0.0	1.0
1974	(July 1 EST.)	11,274	+14		169,215	108,171	-29,000	0.1	0.9
1975	(July 1 EST.)	11,306	+32	1,534	169,420	103,552	-11,900	0.3	1.0
1976	(July 1 EST.)	11,360	+54		170,257	103,665	-20,600	0.5	1.0
1977	(July 1 EST.)	11,406	+46		177,393	103,423	-45,900	0.4	1.0
1978	(July 1 EST.)	11,434	+28		174,509	103,026	-82,500	0.2	1.1
1979	(July 1 EST.)	11,423	-11		184,210	102,227	-71,900	-0.1	1.1
1980	(July 1 EST.)	11,433*	+10	1,675	190,058	N/A	N/A	0.1	1.2
1981	(July 1 EST.)	11,467	+34		N/A	N/A	-64,000	0.3	1.0
1982	(July 1 EST.)	11,466	-1				-86,000	0.0	1.0
1983	(July 1 PROV.)	11,486	+20		N/A	N/A	-62,000	0.2	0.9

*April 1, 1970 Census 11,110,258.
April 1, 1980 Census 11,426,518.

**Since April 1, 1980

PROJECTIONS	Bureau of the Budget	National Planning Assoc.	U.S. Department of Commerce Projection	Percent of U.S. Total
1985	11,655	N/A	N/A	N/A
1990	11,825	12,072	11,503	4.62
2000	12,300	N/A	11,188	4.18
2010	12,783	N/A	N/A	N/A

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census - Estimates and Projections.

ILLINOIS EXPORTS

-----AGRICULTURE----- (millions)					-----EMPLOYMENT RELATED TO EXPORTS----- (thousands)		
Product	FY 1972	FY 1981	FY 1982	1982 Ill. as % of U.S.		1977	1981
Soybean & Prod.	\$404	\$1391	\$1482	17.6	Agriculture*	75.6	72.6
Feed Grains	214	1746	1371	17.9	Manufacturing	140.1	157.0
Wheat & Flour	28	260	274	3.6	Trade	30.9	48.0
Meats & Prod.	13	60	57	4.6	Business Services	15.2	32.6
Hides & Skins	8	21	22	2.2	Transp., Com., & Util.	13.0	15.5
Fats & Oils	10	25	22	3.1	Other	21.7	22.3
Other	81	78	78	0.6	TOTAL	296.5	348.0
TOTAL	\$758	\$3581	\$3306	8.5	Percent of Total Employment	6.0%	6.8%
ILLINOIS RANK	(1)	(2)	(1)				

MANUFACTURING EXPORTS (million dollars)

	-----1977-----			-----1981-----			Total Exports as % of Ill. Shpmts.	Employment Related to Mfg. Exports (thousands)	
	Direct	Indirect	Total	Direct	Indirect	Total	1981	1977	1981
Machines, exc. Elec.	2,892	566	3,458	5,160	885	6,045	28.3	40.8	47.9
Primary Metal	186	1,088	1,273	263	1,520	1,783	17.7	14.0	13.4
Food & Kindred	736	196	932	1,170	364	1,534	8.3	3.5	4.6
Elec. Equip.	532	315	847	1,110	454	1,564	13.6	17.4	21.4
Chemical & Allied	407	353	760	707	769	1,477	14.3	6.7	6.4
Fabricated Metal	323	594	917	363	851	1,214	12.0	15.8	15.3
Transp. Equip.	461	93	554	487	138	624	11.2	4.9	5.9
Petroleum & Coal	53	145	198	33	742	776	5.1	.3	.4
Rubber & Plastic	74	143	217	138	228	365	10.4	4.5	4.3
Instruments	254	57	312	396	70	466	19.8	6.7	6.6
Paper & Allied	35	141	176	28	291	319	9.0	2.5	3.2
Other	360	212	572	514	358	872	6.9	23.0	23.9
TOTAL	6,313	3,903	10,216	10,369	6,670	17,039	13.4	140.1	157.0

TOTAL EXPORTS (millions)

	1971	1972	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Agriculture	\$667	\$758	\$1,856	\$2,504	\$2,572	\$2,812	\$2,923	\$3,548	\$3,581	\$3,306
Manufacturing	2,487	2,902	6,199*	10,433	10,216	10,511*	13,695*	16,445	17,039	NA
Direct	(2,487)	(2,902)	(6,199)	(6,660)	(6,313)	NA	NA	(10,084)	(10,369)	
Support	NA	NA	NA	(3,773)	(3,903)	NA	NA	(6,360)	(6,670)	
Gross Total	3,144	3,660	8,055	12,937	12,788	13,323	16,618	19,993	20,620	
Less Duplication**	-266	-375	-744*	-963	-1029*	-1,062*	-1,397*	-1,796*	-1,534	
Net Total	\$2,878	\$3,285	\$7,311	\$11,974	\$11,759	\$12,261	\$15,221	\$18,197	\$19,086	N/A
ILLINOIS RANK	(1)	(1)	(NA)	(2)	(2)	(NA)	(NA)	(3)	(3)	

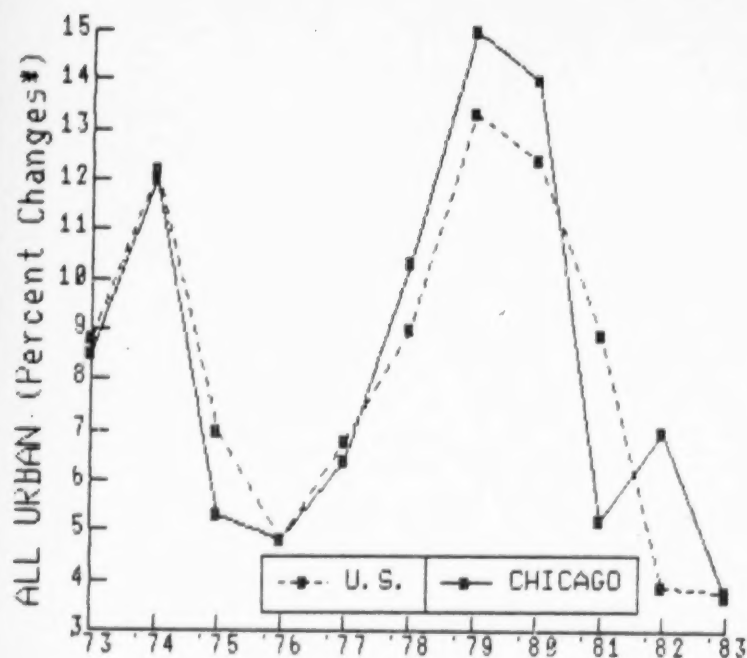
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*Estimates prepared by Department of Commerce and Community Affairs

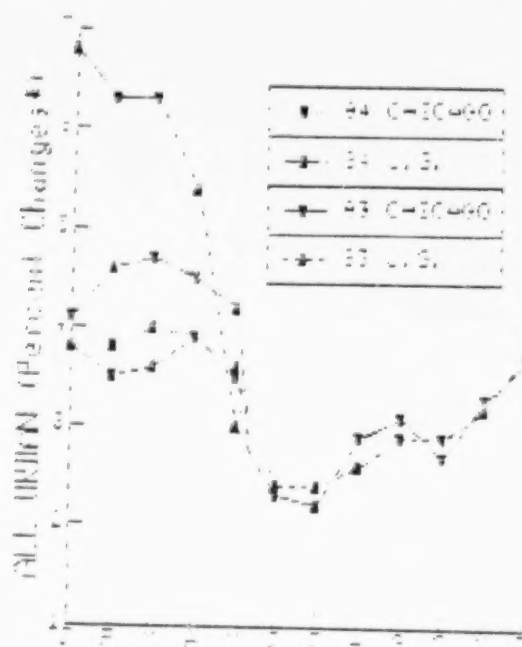
**Both Agriculture and Manufacturing include processed foods.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Department of Commerce.

U.S. AND CHICAGO/NORTHWESTERN INDIANA
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
ALL ITEMS



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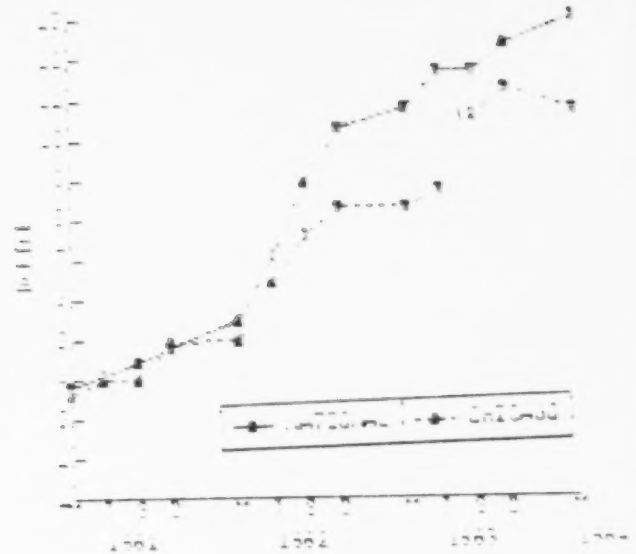
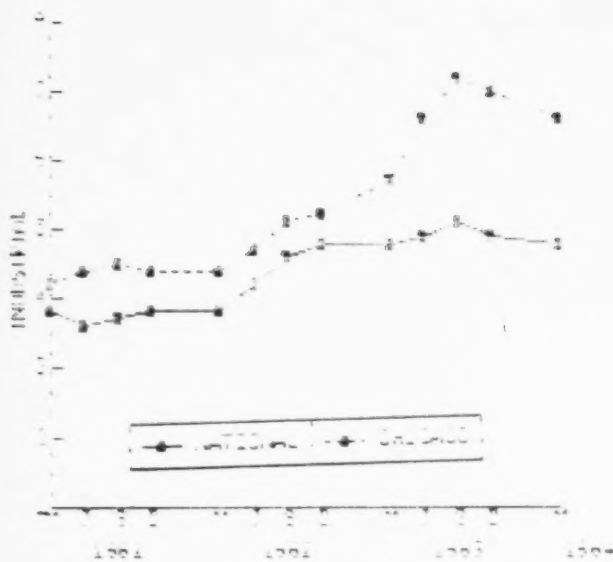
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**Data not seasonally adjusted.

***Chase Econometric Forecast (JUNE), Data Resources Forecast (JUNE), Average annual changes.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

INDUSTRIAL AND OFFICE VACANCY RATES



INDUSTRIAL VACANCY RATES*

	1981				1982				1983				1984			
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	3.8	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.8	4.2	4.6	4.8	4.8	4.9	5.1	4.9	4.8			
Chicago	4.2	4.4	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.7	5.1	5.2	5.7	6.6	7.2	7.0	6.6			
Southern																
California	4.2	3.0	3.4	3.8	4.0	4.7	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.8	5.6	5.0				
Philadelphia	5.7	6.1	5.9	6.1	6.5	5.9	6.2	6.3	6.3	5.7	5.3	5.2				
Houston	3.5	4.4	4.6	5.7	4.0	4.8	5.6	4.6	3.7	3.7	5.7	5.8				
St. Louis	--	--	--	3.1	3.7	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.1	4.9	4.8	6.0				

*Percentage of vacant or available space to total amount of industrial space in buildings of 100,000 sq. ft. or more in 19 metro areas.

OFFICE VACANCY RATES**

	1981				1982				1983				1984			
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	3.8	4.1	4.4	4.8	5.5	7.1	8.9	10.3	10.8	11.7	11.7	12.4	13.1			
New York	--	--	2.1	1.4	2.3	2.6	2.8	3.3	3.4	4.2	3.6	3.7				
Chicago	3.6	4.0	4.0	4.9	5.0	6.4	7.6	8.3	8.3	8.7	10.6	11.3	10.7			
Suburban	17.6	19.1	16.8	17.1	17.0	17.8	18.5	19.4	18.7	18.0	16.1	15.8	13.8			
Los Angeles	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.8	1.9	3.8	6.9	9.5	11.6	13.0	13.1	10.8				
Philadelphia	5.9	5.2	6.1	6.4	6.2	8.3	7.6	9.1	11.6	9.4	9.0	8.6				
Houston	2.2	1.9	1.9	1.3	1.3	2.3	2.9	5.8	8.9	12.1	12.5	14.6				
St. Louis	--	--	--	6.3	11.4	9.4	9.6	10.9	10.6	8.5	8.5	12.0				

**Percentage of vacant space for lease or rent to total square footage in office buildings surveyed in 22 downtown areas.

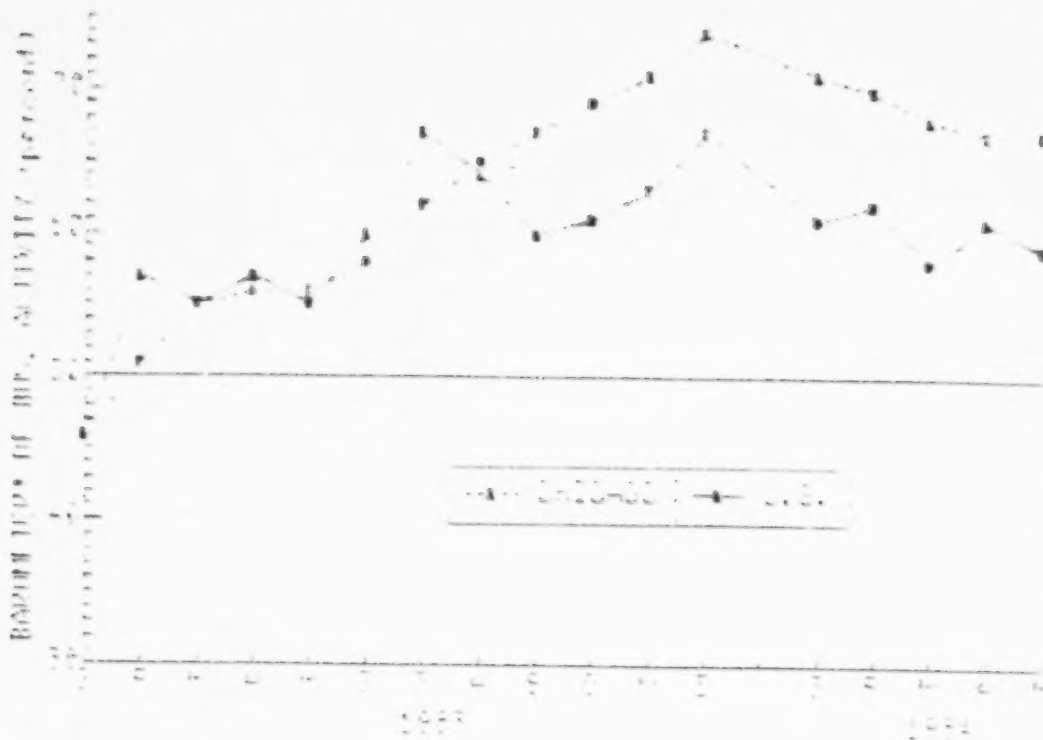
SOURCE: Coldwell Banker.

A line graph titled 'ILLINOIS' showing sales in millions of dollars from 1975 to 1983. The y-axis is labeled 'SALES (millions of dollars)' and ranges from 30,000 to 56,000 in increments of 2,000. The x-axis shows years from 1975 to 1983. The data points are connected by a line, showing a consistent upward trend.

Year	Sales (millions of dollars)
1975	33,500
1976	35,500
1977	39,500
1978	43,500
1979	46,000
1980	46,500
1981	50,000
1982	52,500
1983	55,500

SOURCE: Monthly Retail Trade, U.S. Department of Commerce.

PURCHASING MANAGERS SURVEY



1984**

	<u>J</u>	<u>F</u>	<u>M</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>M</u>	<u>J</u>	<u>J</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>O</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>D</u>
BAROMETER (Composite Index* of Business Activity)												
CHICAGO	71	7	68	67	67							
U.S.	61	62	58	61	59							

CHICAGO SERIES ITEM INDEX*

PRODUCTION	76	78	82	79	74
NEW ORDERS	70	78	81	77	67
ORDER BACKLOG	64	71	70	68	61
INVENTORIES	61	68	65	66	66
EMPLOYMENT	59	60	60	64	65
VENDOR DEL.	37	32	28	29	30
PRICES PAID	77	75	81	82	79

*Index of 50 or above indicates expansion, less than 50 means contraction

**Barometer data is seasonally adjusted all other data not seasonally adjusted.

SOURCE: Purchasing Management Association of Chicago

ILLINOIS
STATE GOVERNMENT

STATE TRANSACTIONS - GENERAL FUNDS, 1994
(millions)

	<u>Jan</u>	<u>Feb</u>	<u>Mar</u>	<u>Apr</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>Aug</u>	<u>Sept</u>	<u>Oct</u>	<u>Nov</u>	<u>Dec</u>
BEGINNING AVAILABLE BALANCE	\$208	\$297	\$294	\$294	\$307	\$293	\$217					
Revenues:												
Income Tax	324	259	357	421	405	335						
Sales Tax	236	246	233	209	241	233						
Other	128	131	131	132	109	139						
Transfers In	57	45	33	57	44	32						
Federal	<u>138</u>	<u>110</u>	<u>124</u>	<u>123</u>	<u>120</u>	<u>129</u>						
TOTAL REVENUES	883	761	878	942	919	868						
Expenditures:												
Public Aid	218	209	248	242	242	282						
Common School	138	138	138	138	138	276						
Operations	207	217	216	199	188	154						
Other	171	119	223	275	289	165						
Transfers Out	<u>60</u>	<u>81</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>67</u>						
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	794	764	878	929	933	944						
ENDING AVAILABLE BALANCE	297	294	294	307	293	217						

STATE EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLL - 1983

<u>1982</u>	-----TOTAL-----		ALL AGENCIES ----EXCEPT EDUCATION----		-----EDUCATION-----	
	<u>Employees</u>	<u>Payrolls</u> (000)	<u>Employees</u>	<u>Payrolls</u> (000)	<u>Employees</u>	<u>Payrolls</u> (000)
January	110,535	\$181,009	74,153	\$129,303	36,382	\$51,706
February	113,094	182,566	74,609	130,186	38,485	52,380
March	113,521	188,646	75,109	136,081	38,412	52,565
April	113,492	182,171	75,123	129,587	38,369	52,583
May	112,714	179,978	75,676	130,442	37,038	49,536
June						
July						
August						
September						
October						
November						
December						

SOURCE: Office of the Comptroller.